

A POLICE SENSATION

Commissioner Suggests Whole Force be Discharged and Reorganized

WELCOME TO THE TEAMS

Miraculous Escape of a Navy-Yard Employee, Who Falls Through a Hatch.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—Portsmouth has a police sensation. It was charged at the meeting of the commissioners that the entire force is in rebellion against the Chief and Sergeant Broughton. Dr. L. A. Billorey, a member of the board, advocates discharging the entire force to a man and reorganizing it with new material. The matter is still open. The patrolmen deny that they are trying to cause their superior officers trouble. Mr. Edward O'Connor, a navy yard employee, had a most wonderful escape from death in the hold of the naval cutter Leonard this morning. He had been at work below, but came up to close a hatchway.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.
While working at the heavy hatch he accidentally stepped on the one beside it, which was covered merely with canvas. Feeling the thin stuff tearing to the north he fell, he missed his footing, and before the eyes of his horrified companions plunged headfirst through the opening into the hold.

His fall was broken by projecting beams, and he struck the iron deck twenty-five feet below, on his shoulder and head.

His shoulder was dislocated and eight stitches were necessary to close the wound in the head. The skull, however, was not fractured. His face was cut badly, and he was terribly shaken up, but there is every chance of his recovery.

NORFOLK HORSE SHOW.
John Mariner and an enthusiastic horseman of Norfolk propose to give the city a horse show next season, which will equal anything yet held in the South. Extensive preparations are now going on to this end, and a company will be organized and stockade was extended the stadium eleven from Carlisle when they arrived in Norfolk this morning. Everybody appeared to be glad to see the team, and the horse show is a stoppage of the scene of marvelous enthusiasm to-night. All Norfolk society turned out in force to welcome Virginia's slants.

JAMESTOWN AUXILIARY.
The ladies of Portsmouth held an enthusiastic meeting this afternoon at the Hotel Monroe, and perfected a Ladies' Auxiliary to the Jamestown Exposition. Mrs. Frank Anthony Walker, chairman of the Norfolk organization, is fostering the plan.

STEAMBOAT SCHEDULE.

Remains of Judge Sener Laid to Rest.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Nov. 20.—The steamer Tourist, of the People's Line, commencing to-morrow, will leave here every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:30 o'clock, making connection at Tappahannock for Baltimore. Here the steamer has not been leaving until 11 o'clock. The return trip from Tappahannock by this steamer will be made on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, leaving Tappahannock at 5 in the afternoon. The steamer of the Weems Line, which formerly left here at 2 o'clock on Monday and Thursday, now leaves at 10 o'clock on those days. The steamer of the Rappahannock River has been formerly, as both the Weems Line and the People's Line make connections at Tappahannock for points below.

Mr. C. E. Harkamp, of this city, who has three of his celebrated hunters at the New York Horse Show this week, has already captured two of the principal prizes over strong competition in the jumping contest at the American.

The remains of Judge James B. Sener, who died in Washington, were brought here today on the train arriving at 12:25, accompanied by members of the family and friends. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Sener, who was met by the Masonic Lodge of this city and others, and the remains were taken direct to the cemetery and interment made in the family burying lot.

Religious services were conducted by Rev. Dr. T. B. Dumas, of this city, and the burial was with Masonic honors. The pallbearers were: Active—Captain E. J. Quinn, A. P. Rowe, W. E. Bradley, E. J. Bissett, W. H. Harkamp, Dr. George H. Chevalier, Honorary—Judge A. C. St. George, R. Fitzhugh, Judge A. T. Embrey, George W. Wooten, John M. Griffin, Judge John T. Goodrich, Captain M. B. Rowe, Colonel T. B. Collier, E. J. Corbin, Arthur B. Taylor, Mayor M. B. W. George W. Shepherd and Robert T. Knox.

Mr. Robert A. Jones has purchased the H. P. Fritter farm in Stafford county, for \$1000.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Chevalier, of Stafford county, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Maud Chevalier, to Mr. William Henry Maddox, of Stafford county.

The ceremony will take place at Waller's Baptist Church, in Spotsylvania county, on Wednesday, December 24, at 5 P. M.

ANNUAL HUNT.

Large Shipments of Apples and Lumber From Afton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AFTON, Va., Nov. 19.—The Augusta, Alabama's largest lumber ship, is now loaded by the veteran fox hunter, Mr. James R. Goodloe.

This event is looked forward to with the deepest interest each year by the "sports" of the three counties. They expect to come back laden with wild turkeys, deer and bears, and the many good stories told on each other by the hunters will enliven many hearers during the long winter evenings.

Among the party are Messrs. J. R. Goodloe and H. J. Goodloe, of Afton; R. Ellis, W. P. Fried and C. Vance, of Waynesboro; J. C. Goodloe, of Stoneburg; J. C. Goodloe, of Beatyville, Ky.; S. P. Goodloe, of Bluefield, W. Va.; H. K. Hawthorne and H. and Spott Goodloe, of Nelson; H. Hamilton, of Ivy.

The station at Afton has been painted and overhauled, which is a great improvement.

An immense amount of large timber is being shipped now from Afton for foreign ports, principally Germany. There is a great deal of the shipment of bark in this county, usual. Many of the orchards are just beginning to ship their apples, having held them for higher prices.

GOLD MEDAL

Pan-American Exposition.



For the quick preparation of a delicious drink, for making chocolate icing or for flavoring ice cream, Lowney's "Always Ready" Sweet Chocolate Powder is the ideal. The quality and purity are present, unadulterated and unimpaired.

Thousands of gallons of elder have been made this year from second class fruit. Mr. Wm. McGee, one of Nelson's young fruit growers, shipped the largest number of barrels of apples this year.

JOHN BROWN FUNDS.

The Davis Story is Not Doubted in Mecklenburg.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOYDTON, Va., Nov. 20.—The article written by Samuel T. Davis for Comfort in regard to the John Brown raid, and copied in the Sunday's Times-Dispatch, together with an editorial comment of The Times-Dispatch, has been read here with much interest, as the scene of a portion of John Brown's preparation for his famous raid is laid in Mecklenburg.

The matter has been discussed here, and it seems that there is but little doubt but that the result as related by the old woman, "Mrs. Pleasant," from whom the writer got his information, is true.

"Mrs. Pleasant" mentions among other places on Roanoke River, Wm. Mark Alexander's as one of the large plantations upon which there were a large number of slaves, and which was visited by a representative of John Brown.

I was told by ex-Judge Alexander, postmaster at this place, and a nephew of the late Mark Alexander, who lived near his uncle at the time spoken of, that he remembers a person of the description given in the account of "Mrs. Pleasant" as having been in the neighborhood about that time and visited his uncle's farm and other places in the neighborhood.

The names of Henry Coleman, Sydney and Townsend, the last two should have been Sydney and Townsend, are all familiar names to the Mecklenburg people. They were neighbors of Mr. Mark Alexander and were all large slave owners.

I was told yesterday by an old citizen that a person spoken of by the writer as a citizen of this county not long before the raid, who was afterwards thought to have been John Brown himself.

TO ELECT LAW TEACHERS.

Union Thanksgiving Services.

Old Lady Found Dead.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, Va., Nov. 20.—A meeting of the Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee University will be held here Monday, November 20, at which time steps will be taken to elect a successor to Professor W. R. Vance in the law department. Professor Vance, it will be recalled, resigned his position at Washington and Lee to accept a professorship in the law at Washington, D. C.

The ground is frozen hard and ice is plentiful.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held here next Thursday, which will be the last of the series. The services will be held at the Lee Memorial Chapel at Washington and Lee University, under the auspices of the University Athletic Association.

Miss Susan A. Hanger, aged fifty-eight, was found dead yesterday morning at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. Taylor Tolley, in Lexington. She retired the night before apparently in good health. She was a daughter of the late John T. Hanger, of the Natural Bridge District, and made her home with her brother, Deputy Sheriff John L. Barger, near Buffalo Forge.

KILLED HIS MAN.

Crime Against a Child in Nansemond County.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SUFFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—Jackson Folk, a day or so ago was shot dead in Isle of Wight county by Sam Smith, of Norfolk. Both are colored. There had been bad feelings, growing out of Folk's attention to Smith's wife. Folk provoked the difficulty, and was advancing upon Smith when the latter drew his gun and fired twice, once through Folk's arm, and again through his breast. Smith was killed.

In Nansemond county to-day Charles Nelson was arrested on the charge of criminally assaulting Josephine Edwards, thirteen years old, who soon will become a mother. Nelson will have a hearing Tuesday.

A Blow in Gloucester.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GLoucester, Va., Nov. 20.—A severe wind storm passed over Gloucester Tuesday, demolishing great pine and oak trees. The storm was especially violent in Ware Neck, where a dwelling house and a fisherman's lodge were taken up and moved several feet, and a woman killed by the force of the wind. The house belonging to Major T. S. Talbot's home was much injured by the blow.

Valuable Barn Burned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WYTHEVILLE, Va., Nov. 20.—The barn of James Heldreth, near Rural Retreat, in this county, was burned last night. It contained all his winter feed and a large amount of corn, and was a store of produce in the cellar, and was a total loss.

QUALIFIED IN PETERSBURG

Only Two Hundred and Seventy Prepared to Vote in the Election Next Spring.

THE MEDICAL FACULTY MEET

Big Sucking Dredge, General Abbott, Inspected and Found to be in Good Condition.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 20.—There have been only 270 poll taxes paid in Petersburg up to this afternoon, and, therefore, only this number of voters qualified thus far to vote in the spring election. All who fail to pay their State taxes by December 1st, will be unable to participate in the spring election, and no voter not qualified to vote at the general election can take part in the primary election to nominate the Mayor and members of the new Council.

FOUND DEAD.

Alex. Avant, a well known colored carpenter in this city, aged sixty years, was found dead yesterday at his home.

Mr. W. W. Robinson, the contractor, has begun the work of remodeling the residence on Tabb Street for the Elks Lodge, which will use it as a home. The home will be ready by the 1st of January.

MEDICINE MEN.

The fifty-third annual meeting of the Petersburg Medical Faculty was held last night at the office of Dr. J. Gordon Renne. Officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are: President, Dr. William E. Harwood; First Vice-President, Dr. E. W. Finch; Second Vice-President, Dr. William Shippen; Corresponding Secretary, Dr. S. A. Hinton; Recording Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. J. G. Renne; Court Medical, Drs. R. A. Martin, H. G. Leigh, Joseph D. Osborne, J. E. Nixon and James W. Claiborne.

After the business of the Faculty was disposed of they adjourned to White's Cafe, where the annual supper was served.

The piping and boiler of the suction dredge "General Abbott," has been tested and found to be in first-class condition. This boat was built for the United States Government by the Petersburg Iron Works Company in this city. It will be used in the harbor at Charleston.

WEDDINGS.

Mr. David Collier and Miss Mary Winfield were married last evening at the parsonage of Second Baptist Church, the Rev. F. W. Moore officiating.

Another marriage took place at this parsonage at 8 o'clock, the contracting parties being Mr. Charles E. Hawkins and Miss Lula P. Fuller.

Dr. Livius Lankford, of Norfolk, the well known physician, has been elected to the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Judge Hancock is still too unwell to conclude the hearing in the suit of Collier against the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, and the case has been postponed until December 1st. Judge stated that he will call for the evidence at that time, and counsel that he was too unwell to hear the argument at this time. He then went to Chesterfield Courthouse to adjourn that court.

TORPEDO FLOTILLA.

The Convoy to the Little Boats Has a Checkered History.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—The first vessel of the torpedo flotilla destined for the Philippines, to leave here yesterday in this city, was the Decatur. She is the flagship of Lieutenant Chandler, commanding the first flotilla.

The Decatur will go to Hampton Roads and there await the remainder of the flotilla, which are being fitted out here. As far as possible, and which will in all probability join her to-morrow.

About five or six days off Old Point the flotilla will be joined by its convoy, the big cruiser Buffalo, and the entire force will sail for the Philippines, via the southern route, making frequent stops for coal and provisions.

The Buffalo will make even a safer and more satisfactory conveyance to the flotilla than the Decatur. She was diverted to San Domingo to protect American interests there. She was once one of the powerful fleet of the Morgan Steamship Company, and was one of the five sister ships, which were purchased from the Morgan company in 1904 by the Brazilian government, whose navy was in rebellion. She then became the dynamite cruiser Nictheroy. Afterward she was bought by the United States.

REDISTRICTING CITY.

This Question Uppermost in the Minds of Citizens.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, Va., Nov. 20.—David Day, a colored youth, was in the Police Court this morning charged with criminal assault on Harriet Lawson, a twelve-year-old negro child. His case was continued on account of the illness of a Commonwealth's Attorney Hamlin.

The question of redistricting the city and providing for the creation of a Board of Aldermen to comply with the new Constitution is one that is agitating the minds of the people of the city at this time. There are to be made three wards out of four, as at present constituted, one on the north side and two on the south, or three on the south side and two on the north, or four on the south and two on the north side. The report of the Council committee on the subject of the division, which has become general.

The Masonic bazaar is a decided success, and to-night was Old-Fellows' night. More than two hundred Juniors and Daughters of Liberty will turn out to-morrow night. It is expected that several thousand dollars will be realized from the affair, which will continue through next week.

AFTER SOCIAL CLUBS.

Newport News Amateurs to Try Farce Comedy.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Nov. 20.—The body of an unknown negro floated ashore near Finch's pier this morning.

The coroner's jury found a verdict of accidental drowning, as no marks of violence could be discovered on the body. The negro is believed to have been a Warwick county oysterman, but the body has not been identified.

THE GRAND JURY IN THE CORPORATION COURT.

Special Agents.

has been investigating the conduct of the social clubs in East End, but no indictments have been returned. The citizens in this neighborhood have been making a vigorous fight against the clubs, and many testified before the grand jury.

The city force will begin work on the subway excavation Monday. The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway finished moving its tracks to-day, and the way will be cleared for the excavations by Monday.

The City Engineer expects to begin the excavation in two weeks, and then the work on the masonry will be begun.

In the next few days Judge Barham, in the Corporation Court, will hear the application of C. W. Sosa, of Baltimore, for license to conduct a racket in connection with the Grand Central Hotel. The hearing was postponed today on account of other matters before the court.

Arrangements have been completed for a mass meeting to be held at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon in the interest of the Sailors' Rest.

The clever amateurs who put on "Alabama" some time ago, will be seen at the Academy of Music on November 28th in "My Wife's Husband," a farce comedy.

RURAL DELIVERY.

Seems Not to Work So Well in Buckingham.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MOUNT VINCEN, BUCKINGHAM COUNTY, Va., Nov. 20.—Rural free delivery has been established on trial for three months, out from Mantoo, about six miles from the river.

The pay of the carrier is six hundred dollars per year. At one point along the route it is four miles between the houses.

The carrier leaves Mantoo as soon as the up train from Richmond arrives, and cannot get back to Mantoo on his regular trip until sometime in the night, so that the mail matter has to remain at Mantoo until the evening of the next day, therefore, it will take three days to write to Richmond and get a reply. And as the carrier leaves Mantoo before the down train, Lynchburg, arrives, mail matter by that train has to remain at Mantoo until the evening of the next day, and that on the return trip of the carrier, also, so that it takes four days by this route to write to Lynchburg and get a reply. Whereas by the route from Buckingham Courthouse via Mount Vincen, which is still continued, we have a daily mail both east and west at a cost of about \$200.

ARM TORN OFF.

Terrible Accident to Young Man by a Corn Husker.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, Va., Nov. 20.—One day this week while engaged in feeding a corn husker at I. B. Miller's place in this county, William Myers, while trying to get corn from the husker, was caught between the rollers and had his right arm badly crushed and torn off near the shoulder.

His shrieks attracted the attention of one of the hands nearby who threw the machinery out of gear, thereby saving the young man from further injury. The arm was severed by a gun club have returned from their tenth annual hunt, which lasted several days, and which proved more successful than any held by them for many years. They hunted along the Compusture River, and through the surrounding country. Among the game were John Edward Nichols, W. S. Burke, W. Hildebrand, W. A. Wilson, J. A. Walker, David Nalley, J. A. Hupman, G. H. Snyder, Charles Hupman and several others.

FLOWERS FORGED CHECKS.

ON CLIFTON FORGE FIRMS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CLIFTON, Va., Nov. 20.—A man going by the name of W. H. Flowers, forged several checks on the Citizens' National Bank of Covington, and passed them off on several of the merchants of this place yesterday, among them the Smith & McKenney Hardware Company, Rosenberg Furniture House and J. B. Wood & Company.

The money so reported to be certified by the cashier, and were two for \$50 and one for \$25.

No arrests have been made, but authorities are at work on the case.

BOARD OF FISHERIES.

An Increase to the State This Year of Seven Thousand.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—The present year will be the most profitable in the history of the State so far as the fisheries of the Chesapeake and its tributaries are concerned. Dr. J. W. Bowdon, of Accomac county, and Mr. S. F. Miller, of Mathews county, chairman and secretary, respectively, of the State Board of Fisheries, are here to-day finishing up their reports, which will show an income to the State of \$40,000, and an increase for the year of \$7,000.

There will be an important meeting of the board to-morrow. A clash between oystermen and State officials in York River, will be brought to the attention of the board, and a hot fight is promised over the case of Hazelett and Mitchell outside of the Bayview survey. Willis Lee, who now occupies these grounds, also wishes to lease them and will fight for the right.

A sixty foot whale came ashore at Lynnhaven Inlet this morning. It was evidently been killed by a steamer ramming it. The whale was cut in two. The carcass has been seen in Chesapeake Bay before.

RESIDENCE BURNED.

Lady Jumps From an Upper Window and Breaks Her Leg.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, Va., Nov. 20.—The residence of H. H. Delaney, near Bristol, burned this afternoon, entailing a loss of \$1,500. Mrs. Delaney found herself cut off from the stairway, and in leaping from an upper story window broke her leg.

For the Children.

Every boy and girl will be interested in the cartoon remedy for dandruff. The drawings and stories by our boys and girls will be found even better than usual. The Emmy Lou story will be entertaining and the colored comic pages will be very amusing.

SCIENCE SCORES AGAIN.

A Preparation That Will Destroy the Dandruff Germ Discovered.

Finally the scientific student has discovered a certain remedy for dandruff. When it first became known that dandruff is the result of a germ or parasite that digs into the scalp and eats the vitality of hair at the root, causing it to grow baldness, some preparation that will kill the germ. After a year's labor in one laboratory the dandruff germ destroyer was discovered, and it is now embodied in Newbro's formula. It prevails baldness, stops itching hair and speedily eradicates dandruff. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Perfumery Co., 125 N. 3rd St., New York City.

Daniel—Wynn.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BAKEL'S STORE, Va., Nov. 20.—At New Hope on Wednesday evening at 1 o'clock, Mr. Daniel and Miss Wynn were married by the Rev. George Owen, the preacher in charge. The attendants came in the following order: Miss Lulu Gault with Mr. Henry Fritchett, Miss Lizzie Walker with Mr. Jesse Daniel, Miss Nora Gault with Mr. David Perkins, Miss Carrie Hovest with Mr. Charles Matthews, Miss Maggie Landon with Mr. Maryland Landon, Miss Susie Perkins with Mr. Arland Landon, Miss Anna Landon with Mr. Carter Moore, Miss Sallie Moore with George Landon, and Miss Janette Landon with Mr. Eddie Wynn. Messrs. Bernard Dindall and Aquila Fritchett acted as ushers. As

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MONTAGUE IN THE WEST

Makes Speech at Annual Banquet of the Commercial Club in Kansas City.

THE SUPREMACY OF AMERICA

Improvement of Public Highways and of Public Education What is Most Needed.

(By Associated Press.)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 20.—At the annual banquet of the Commercial Club last night, Governor Montague, of Virginia, spoke on "The Supremacy and Opportunity of the American Republic."

He said: "What will best give American people their best opportunity? We have neglected largely the old fashion in the public highway. No civilization has ever outlived the common road. Our public highways should not longer remain a social and industrial blockage to our progress. We want a wider and more practical system of public school education. Our system is for opportunity to serve. We are too prone to make education a short road to leisure. The colored man has seen the white educated man, the only man in his community who did not work. It has been a stumbling block to him."

"Wealth has not made men, but it is the consciousness in men that makes them winners. The American wage earner produces two as much as any other in the world, and our captains of industry would not be such in any other country. The most efficient laborer of the world ever known originated in the American Republic and goes to build up that unification of people, patriotism, which is the duty everywhere to stand for all that is best for the American people."

PATRICK LADIES

Will Expend Surplus in Buying Jamestown Stock.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—The local chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has voted to devote its surplus funds to subscriptions to the capital stock of the Jamestown Exposition.

The ladies of the Jamestown Auxiliary League protest that they have not threatened to subscribe to exposition stock, but that they have merely decided to buy from those who do subscribe.

The first labor union to incorporate itself in Virginia will be that of the Western Union messenger boys. They have organized here for mutual protection, and are applying for incorporation. Attorney Tilton to secure them a charter.

NO PROSECUTION FOR MR. CLEVELAND

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 20.—No prosecution will be made of Grover Cleveland and his hunting party, in which are Mr. Ernest Gittings and Mr. Andrew W. George, for hunting without a license. There are several legal points involved in any charge which might be made.

The party will arrive here to-morrow en route home. Mr. Cleveland and Professor Vanduyke will go direct to Princeton via Philadelphia.

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Vincent—Moss.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Nov. 20.—Mr. Byron G. Vincent, formerly of Bowling Green, Cardinia county, now a resident of Norfolk, and Miss Juanita Moss, of Norfolk, were married Wednesday night at the